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First Named Inventor	Farrar
Group Art Unit	1635
Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
Attorney Docket No.	OPT-003

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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2. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit or charge any fee indicated below for this submission to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.
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☒ Additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.
☒ Overpayment Credit.
3. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Large Entity

Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
770	Utility filing fee	
340	Design filing fee	
160	Provisional filing fee	

Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Amount
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Total Claims - 20 = x \$ 18.00 =

Independent Claims - 3 = x \$ 86.00 =

☐ Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any \$290.00 =

TOTAL: .00

SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT:

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) .00

2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES

Claims Remaining After Amend.	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Fee Paid
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Total - - x \$ 18.00 =

Indep. - = x \$ 86.00 =

☐ First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim + \$290.00 =

TOTAL: (\$)

SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT: (\$)

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$0.00)

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130	130	Non-English specification	
2,520	2,520	Request for ex parte reexamination	
110	55	Extension for reply within first month	
420	210	Extension for reply within second month	210.00
950	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1480	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
2010	1005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
330	165	Notice of Appeal	
330	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
290	145	Request for oral hearing	
130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
770	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
770	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
100	100	Certificate of Correction for applicant's error	
110	55	Submission of Terminal Disclaimer	

Other fee (Specify)

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 210.00

SUBTOTAL (1) 0.00

SUBTOTAL (2) 0.00

SUBTOTAL (3) 210.00

TOTAL (\$) 210.00

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP NO. 1635

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This paper is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 16, 2004. Applicants note that the attorney docket number for the above-identified patent application has changed from MUR-003 to OPT-003. Applicants request a two month extension of time up to and including May 4, 2004. Applicants believe that no other fees are due. However, should Applicants be in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the list of claims that appear on page 2 of this paper.